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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: BLEY et al
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PETITION FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME

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P.O. Box 1450
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March 24, 2004

Sir:

In the matter of the above-identified application, applicants hereby respectfully petition for an extension of time to permit the filing of a response within the fifth month subsequent to the expiration of the shortened statutory period set in the outstanding Office Action mailed September 24, 2003.

A payment in the amount of \$2010.00 to cover the fee required for the requested extension of time is attached hereto.

It is respectfully requested that any shortage in the fee be charged to the deposit account of Antonelli, Terry, Stout & Kraus, LLP, Deposit Account No. 01-2135 (Case: 306.40262X00).

Respectfully submitted,

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